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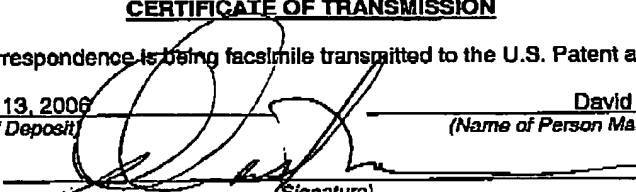
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In response to the Office Action mailed October 13, 2005, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments and remarks be considered.

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